

OUTGOING MESSAGE

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CLASSIFICATION

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MESSAGE HANDLING INDICATOR

DATE-TIME GROUP

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MESSAGE REFERENCE NUMBER

CIA/OCI/WHIZ 741016

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SOURCE REF:

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ROUTING	1		4		7		10	
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TO: IMMEDIATE WHITE HOUSE//SITUATION ROOM FOR MR FAZIO,
STATE RCI//OPERATIONS CENTER MR FRY, NMCC//ATTENTION
CIA REP, TREASURY DEPT//INFO FOR [REDACTED]
WARNING NOTICE SENSITIVE INTELLIGENCE SOURCES AND METHODS
INVOLVED

~~ITEM NO: 001~~

DATE: 16 OCTOBER 1974

SUBJECT: SOUTH VIETNAMESE GOVERNMENT CHANGES

REF :

25X1A2g

PRESIDENT THIEU HAS REPORTEDLY AGREED TO DISMISS INFORMATION
MINISTER NHA AS PART OF A TWO- OR THREE-MAN CABINET CHANGE,

PRIME MINISTER KHIEM 25X1X6

CLAIMED THAT HE TOLD THE PRESIDENT THAT HE WOULD RESIGN IF NHA
RETAINED HIS POSITION WITHIN THE GOVERNMENT. ALTHOUGH THIEU
MAY NOW BE PREPARED TO SEE HIS CONTROVERSIAL CONFIDANT LEAVE THE
CABINET, WE HAVE NO INDICATION OF THE PRECISE TIMING OF A CABINET
REORGANIZATION. E-2 IMPDET.

SPECIAL DISTRIBUTION: EAP DIV AND NIO [REDACTED]

25X1A9a

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ORIG: [REDACTED] /WHSS 25X1A9a

UNIT: CIA OPS CTR

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